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Former Building Inspector Charged with Hiding Cameras in Bathrooms

A former building inspector for the city of Rancho Palos Verdes has been charged with secretly recording dozens of men and women at a City Hall bathroom and a nearby coffee house, the Los Angeles County District Attorney's Office announced today.

Andrew James Jensen (dob 8/17/69) of Huntington Beach faces 89 misdemeanor counts of unauthorized invasion of privacy: peeking.

Arraignment is scheduled today in Department 3 of the Los Angeles County Superior Court, Torrance Branch. Case 8TR05330 was filed for warrant yesterday.

Jensen is accused of using a hidden camera to secretly record 63 women and 26 men from June 13 to July 5, prosecutors said.

Bail is set at \$450,000. If convicted as charged, the defendant faces a possible maximum sentence of more than 44 years in jail.

The case remains under investigation by the Los Angeles County Sheriff's Department.

About the Los Angeles County District Attorney's Office

Los Angeles County District Attorney Jackie Lacey leads the largest local prosecutorial office in the nation. Her staff of nearly 1,000 attorneys, 300 investigators and 800 support staff members is dedicated to protecting our community through the fair and ethical pursuit of justice and the safeguarding of crime victims' rights.